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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: UPPER VOLTAN SUPPORT OF UNFRIENDLY KOREAN  
RESOLUTION

1. THE SOUTH KOREAN CHARGE DONG HO KIM BRIEFED ME ON  
THE FOLLOWING AT THE AIRPORT SUNDAY MORNING, NOV 24,  
WHERE WE BOTH WERE PRESENT FOR THE DEPARTURE OF PRES-  
IDENT LAMIZANA TO THE ENTENTE SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN  
ABIDJAN;

A) HE SAW PRES LAMIZANA ON SATURDAY, NOV 23 AS A  
RESULT OF KIM'S REQUEST FOR AN AUDIENCE TO DISCUSS THE  
UPPER VOLTAN POSITION ON THE KOREAN QUESTION AT THE UN.

B) PRES LAMIZANA TOLD MR. KIM THAT A LETTER FROM AMB.  
YAGUIBOU, THE VOLTAN PERMREP, DATED OCT 17, ARRIVED IN  
OUAGA ON NOV 16; THE PRESIDENT SAW THE LETTER FOR THE  
FIRST TIME THAT MORNING 11-23). YAGUIBOU'S LETTER PRO-  
TESTED THE GOUV POSITION ON THE KOREAN QUESTION. IT  
STATED THAT THE DECISION TO CO-SPONSOR THE UNFRIENDLY  
RESOLUTION WAS TAKEN WHILE YAGUIBOU WAS IN WASHINGTON.

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DIOULAYE CORENTIN KY IN OPPOSITION TO YAGUIBOU CREATED

CONFUSION WITHIN THE UPPER VOLTAN DELEGATION AND WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DECISION.

B) THE LETTER CONTAINED FRENCH TRANSLATIONS OF THE TREATIES BETWEEN NORTH KOREA AND THE URSS AND NORTH KOREA AND PRC WITH A COMMENTARY POINTING OUT THAT THEY WERE IN FACT DEFENSE TREATIES.

C) YAGUIBOU'S REASON AGAINST CO-SPONSORING THE UNFRIENDLY KOREAN RESOLUTION LISTED THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN SOUTH KOREA AND UPPER VOLTA AND UPPER VOLTA'S NEUTRAL POSTURE ON THIS SUBJECT. YAGUIBOU ALSO ARGUED THAT UPPER VOLTAN SPONSORSHIP OF THE RESOLUTION COULD LOGICALLY AFFECT FURTHER ASSISTANCE FROM SOUTH KOREA. HE URGED PRESIDENT LAMIZANA TO ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE UPPER VOLTAN DELEGATION WITHDRAW ITS SUPPORT OF THE RESOLUTION AND TAKE A NEUTRAL POSITION ON THE QUESTION.

D) KIM STATES THAT LAMIZANA ADMITTED HE WAS UNAWARE OF THE POSITION TAKEN BY HIS DELEGATION, STATING THAT THIS QUESTION HAD BEEN HANDLED COMPLETELY BY THE FOREIGN MINISTER. KIM ADDED THAT SAYE ZERBO'S ADDRESS BEFORE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WAS NOT SEEN OR CLEARED BY LAMIZANA BEFORE IT WAS MADE.

E) LAMIZANA PROMISED TO CALL NEW YORK ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON TO ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS AS REQUESTED BY YAGUIBOU.  
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